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Reconsideration of this application, as amended, is respectfully requested.

ALLOWABLE SUBJECT MATTER

The Examiner's allowance of claims 1-3 is respectfully acknowledged.

Claims 1-3 have been amended only to make some minor grammatical improvements and to correct some minor antecedent basis problems so as to put them in better form for issuance in a U.S. patent.

No new matter has been added, and no new issues with respect to patentability have been raised. Accordingly, it is respectfully requested that the amendments to the claims be approved and entered.

It is respectfully submitted, moreover, that the amendments to the claims are not related to patentability, and do not narrow the scope of the claims either literally or under the doctrine of equivalents.

THE TITLE

The title has been amended to more clearly indicate the nature of the invention to which the claims are directed, as required by the Examiner.

THE SPECIFICATION

The abstract has been amended to better comply with the requirements of MPEP 608.01(b), as required by the Examiner. No new matter has been added, and it is respectfully requested that the amendments to the abstract be approved and entered, and that the objection to the abstract be withdrawn.

THE DRAWINGS

Fig. 1 has been amended to label rectangular boxes 4, 5 and 52, as required by the Examiner.

Submitted herewith are a corrected sheet of formal drawing which incorporates the amendments and an annotated sheet showing the changes made thereto.

No new matter has been added, and it is respectfully requested that the amendments to the drawings be approved and entered, and that the Examiner's objection to the drawings be withdrawn.

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In view of the foregoing, entry of this Amendment, and the passing of this application to issue are respectfully solicited.

If the Examiner has any comments, questions, objections or recommendations, the Examiner is invited to telephone the undersigned at the telephone number given below for prompt action.

Respectfully submitted,

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Amendments to the Drawings:

Fig. 1 has been amended to label the rectangular boxes numbered as 4, 5 and 52.

Attachment: Annotated Sheet Showing Changes
Replacement Sheet

FIG. 1

